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Council Possibilities Considered at Forum

In a conference which marked a new departure in its method of proposing councilmanic candidates, a large group representing the first district, met at the social-civic forum in Ocean Beach school Tuesday evening. Here residents entered into a discussion of desired qualifications of such a candidate and proposed a number of possibilities for the spring primaries. Within the memory of many who had lived in the district over a period of years never had the people such a fair opportunity to suggest suitable men and discuss issues which were vital to the much-neglected beach areas.

The most definite outgrowth of the meeting was the selection of the group of a "clearing house" committee composed of one representative from each center within the large first district, with Elmer Steele acting as the convener. This committee will serve to call other and frequent open meetings in the various centers prior to the primaries to consider carefully the combined needs of the district and the men available who can best carry out those needs.

The committee members chosen by the assembly were Elmer Steele, Ocean Beach; J. B. Mock, Mission Beach; Norval Diamond, Pacific Beach; W. E. Zader, La Jolla; George Dale, Loma Portal; A. W. Collins, Sunset Cliffs. The committee will contact civic organizations in the few areas not represented at the Tuesday meeting and ask that they select representatives to serve with them.

Although discussion was centered on local needs of the district, it was aptly pointed out that the city of San Diego could advantageously take notice of its component parts and emphasize its various assets, among the greatest of which are its beaches. Some of the most pressing needs of local areas were enumerated by a number of speakers. They were the Ocean Beach fishing pier, for which a group has been working three years; the return to city control of the Mission Beach amusement center; soil erosion control and general improvement of Sunset Cliffs; a yacht basin for La Jolla; adequate roads and pavement for the Mission Hills-Old Town district; and the paving of the Mission Valley road.

Since the entire city finally must vote on our nominees the people of this district should have in mind, it was shown, other than the local issues. Among the larger problems are the lowering of gas rates, a move in this direction by the incumbent having been stifled; the telephone rates and streetcar fares which discriminate against a large portion of the beach residents; a more adequate handling of the water situation; and the development of Mission Bay state park.

A man who would work fairly and aggressively for these local and general needs would deserve and receive the support of all the district regardless of the geographical location of his home, according to representatives of several centers. After due consideration of the qualifications, several possibilities were suggested by members of the group. They were Carl Shroder of Ocean Beach, R. L. Daniel of Loma Portal, former president of the civil service commission; Col. Walter Fraser, U.S.A., ret. of Loma Portal, a member of the grand jury; and Tom Armstrong of Pacific Beach, who promptly declined to consider the post.

Altho this is a very tentative list, it being declared that none of the parties mentioned have been contacted, it represents the nucleus of some progress on the part of the people as a whole in selecting their own candidates. It was claimed by several that heretofore they had been "hand picked" and particular reference was made to the four successful candidates at the last election who had been sponsored by the Civic Affairs Conference. It was charged that the conference had ceased activity when only half its work had been accomplished; that its members should have been more vigilant than ever after the election to see that their men carried out the projects to which



CAPT. FRANK SESSIONS JOINS OCEAN BEACH KIWANIS

J. D. Watson, vice president of Ocean Beach Kiwanis club during 1936 was on Wednesday presented with the president's button, due to the resignation of Frank R. Felt, president, who is soon to leave for India.

Milton Lancaster introduced and presented Captain Frank R. Sessions with his Kiwanis button as a new member of the local club; also giving to Mr. Sessions a framed certificate containing the objects of Kiwanis International.

Rollin Reed was chairman for the day having for his speaker Robt. H. Williams of Goodwill Industries who gave short sketches and brief verses about "insignificant" things to many of us, but bringing out the beauties of these everyday objects we pass without notice. The sketches were given as Mr. Williams thought the younger children saw the cricket, the snail, clothes-on-the-line, the puppy and in fancy a mermaid at Sunset Cliffs.

Next week Tuesday evening the club will entertain twenty members of Point Loma's football squad at a 6:30 dinner served by the women of Point Loma Methodist church.

The Wednesday meeting will be cancelled, for December 16.

KYLE-BERNDT VOWS TAKEN SUNDAY EVENING

Ruth I. Berndt and George B. Kyle exchanged nuptial vows before an altar of white chrysanthemums and tall floor candles on each side, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Nelson, 4661 Coronado avenue, Sunday evening at eight.

The bride wore a gown of royal blue velvet with rhinestone clips and buckle. Her corsage was lilies-of-the-valley and gardenias.

Mrs. Lillian Hartvigsen sang "At Dawning" and "Oh Promise Me," accompanied by Mrs. Mary Lee. Judge Lloyd Griffin officiated at the marriage rites.

The bride couple was attended by Mrs. Gladys Nelson and Leroy W. Lee.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Insley of 4650 Del Monte avenue.

The groom is employed at the wholesale produce department of Safeway stores in San Diego.

Immediate members of the contracting couples' family were present as follows: Mr. and Mrs. W. Insley, mother and father of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hildebrandt, mother and father of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Herbst.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle expect to build shortly, a home on Santa Monica avenue and become permanent residents of Ocean Beach.

P. O. WILL ACCEPT PARCEL POST SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The News has been advised to inform the people of Ocean Beach that the local post office will remain open Saturday afternoon until 5 p. m. to accept parcel post packages if business warrants. The window will close at 4 p. m. if there is not sufficient business to keep the clerk on duty, busy.

No money orders will be written, no registered mail taken or postal saving business done after 12 noon.

Christmas cards on display at Claspills are especially selected for their verse sentiment.

they had been pledged. On the other hand, Mr. Armstrong, speaking on behalf of the conference, said the organization had made an honest attempt to consider the qualifications and integrity of candidates and that it welcomed any constructive criticism or suggestion which would make it more effective. He also stated that the conference intends to take an active part in the coming elections, beginning its activity probably in January. John R. Lyons conducted the meeting, assisted by Elmer Steele who was acting secretary.

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Collegions Return For Christmas Vacation

Miss Miriam Fried is one of the first collegians home for the Christmas holidays. She arrives today from U.S.C. campus.

Miss Peggy Kreizinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kreizinger of 1610 Santa Barbara street will arrive home from Berkeley early next week to spend the inter-semester vacation. Miss Kreizinger, who spent her first two collegiate years at San Diego State college, is enrolled in the college of pharmacy at the university. During the recent ceremonies attending the opening of the San Francisco-Oakland bay bridge, she was an eager spectator along with others in the fleet parade.

More Holiday Arrivals

The F. A. Alsups of DelMar avenue, are anticipating the arrival a week from tomorrow of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Ritland and young daughter from Portland, Ore. This will mark the first visit home since her marriage for Mrs. Ritland, who was Martha Alsup. Her wide circle of friends extending to La Mesa will have an opportunity to call on her during the holiday season.

Among the early plans for Christmas are those of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Craft, who will entertain Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Walker and son Glenn of Santa Ana. The Walkers were until recently residents of Ocean Beach, and their son a well known member of the young set. The Crafts were Thanksgiving guests in the Walkers' Santa Ana home.

Winter Residents

Ocean Beach continues to offer a sunny refuge to winter guests. Among those enjoying cottages over the Pacific are Major and Mrs. Duval and family of El Paso and two couples from British Columbia. Mr. and Mrs. R. Allyn and Mr. and Mrs. G. Belinghams all at Ocean Village.

Recital in Wilhoit Home

Piano pupils of Mrs. Nora Wilkerson gave their semi-annual recital in the J. W. Wilhoit home Friday evening. A cellist and student violinists contributed to the delightful evening's entertainment, to which fifteen parents and friends were invited.

Parties of the Week

Mrs. Lily Neal was hostess Wednesday to the Portnightly club at a bridge-luncheon in her Voltaire street home. At their next meeting the members will be entertained by Mrs. Myra Rife Smith.

Among those attending the card party sponsored by the Canadian Woman's club in the Canadian Legion hall, Balboa park, Saturday afternoon, were Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Austin and Mrs. William Founce. Mr. Austin came away with both a table and door prize.

Trinity Guild Names Officers

The annual election of officers featured the Dec. 2 meeting of the Trinity Episcopal guild. Those chosen for office were Mrs. J. C. Glithero, president; Mrs. C. N. Fiske, vice president; Mrs. Edith Reich, treasurer; and Miss Mary Clarke, secretary.

Mrs. C. N. Fiske and Mrs. J. C. Glithero were co-hostesses for luncheon in the Fiske home.

For Your Datebook

The second annual Christmas relief card party, sponsored by the Ocean Beach American Legion and the V.F.W. posts, will be held Dec. 23 in the Ocean Beach Woman's clubhouse. The Woman's club is donating the space as their contribution to the fund.

The Group Players, under the direction of Oliver Dernberger, will present "The Little Clown," in the Roosevelt auditorium Saturday, December 12, at 8:30 p. m. The proceeds will contribute to the PTA Christmas fund.

Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Long and little daughter are recent beach arrivals, having taken a residence at 4665 Del Mar avenue. Mr. Long is associated with the Consolidated Aircraft corporation.

Mrs. Morris Fried did some holiday buying in Los Angeles the first of the week for their store here.

Psychology Class

The last discussion class before Christmas holidays will be devoted to a consideration of the inferiority complex, sex problems and the question of allowances.

Mrs. Helen Crow will lead the class sponsored by the PTA which begins at 1 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 15 in the auditorium of Ocean Beach school. All interested are invited.

PEACE NEEDS NEW PERSPECTIVE

Dr. Frank Lowe, addressing the PTA meeting Wednesday afternoon, visualized the idea of peace not as one of principle but as one of practice. He presented a parallel between the recent opening of the San Francisco-Oakland bay bridge and the practical conception of peace. Just as it was necessary to describe the ceremonies from many vantage points—from the water, from the bridge itself, from the high towers and from the air—in order to give the radio listeners an adequate picture, so the peoples of the world must strive to catch the other man's perspective.

In considering the many movements for peace in existence today, Dr. Lowe said they seemed to be divided into two definite camps—the pacifists and the "patriots", each claiming in a belligerent way the superiority of his particular brand of peace. Until this nation can eliminate the warlike spirit towards peace we cannot hope for progress.

Dr. Lowe felt that one of the greatest war preventives is being clear-headed and fair-minded during peace times and attempting sincerely to understand the problems involved in maintaining peace. For when men can learn individually to settle their difficulties peacefully, then nations can learn to come to agreements without resort to wholesale dueling.

While Dr. Lowe believes that ultimately peace will come thru education, he told the group that first we should be willing to give our wholehearted cooperation to the nations to preserve peace, but if conflict did come a universal conscription should be enforced.

\$2,500 BURGLARY AT LOMA PORTAL HOME DEC. 5

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Goodman, 3246 Goldsmith street, Loma Portal, was entered some time Friday or Saturday last week, while the owners were absent and the burglary discovered when they returned home Sunday afternoon.

The principal loss was jewelry, watches and personal effects, though two revolvers and a quantity of liquor was in the loot. A detailed list of missing articles left with the police placed the value at \$2,500.

Theatre Party Dec. 15 Benefit Kiddies Tree

The Strand Theatre is giving a benefit show sponsored by Branch No. 80 Fleet Reserve Ass'n., on Tuesday Dec. 15, evening show.

The proceeds, over the operating expense of the theatre, to be used for a Christmas tree party for the children of Ocean Beach.

This party will be held at the Fleet Reserve bldg., 4731 Point Loma avenue, Wednesday, Dec. 23, at 5 p. m.

The officers and members of this branch are cooperating to make this party a success. Thanks and appreciation are due the Strand theatre for making this Christmas party possible.

Tickets are on sale at Litterer's, 4955 Voltaire st. also Brownie's Loma Tavern, 4145 Voltaire, who have offered their assistance. Tickets can also be obtained by calling Hugh Reynolds, BV-4119.

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Few More Homes Started This Week.

Building activity at Ocean Beach continues good with improvement in many blocks, mostly new construction, though some remodeling and reconstruction is still going steadily on.

Permits granted the first of the week show a frame-stucco residence costing \$3200 for Mary J. Billard at 4868 Santa Cruz avenue.

H. J. Pierce a \$1,000 cottage at 4636 Narragansett avenue.

John C. Loftus, frame residence and garage, 4635 Castellar street, costing \$1,500.

H. J. Warren, frame residence and garage 2152 Bacon street \$850; frame residence and garage 2154 Bacon street \$1450.

R. D. McMullen has received building permit for two houses with garages with J. L. Billups the builder. These will go up at 4506 Newport avenue and 1918 Guizot street. The cost of both will be \$5,000.

Christmas Number News Next Fri. Dec. 18

Next week The Ocean Beach News will issue its regular Christmas Greeting issue and has secured a large number of artistic holiday illustrations as well as a two-colored border for the front and back pages of that number.

Distribution will be made to readers the week end preceding Christmas, Dec. 18 and 19, for the next publication day is Dec. 25, and distribution would not be made by the post office department that day nor likely the preceding day, owing to rush of holiday packages and mail.

With this decorative number coming out a week before Christmas, local advertisers will do well to plan and prepare their advertisements early and give the News a ring for space wanted. The phone number is BV-3157.

PAST MASTERS TO PRESIDE AT SATURDAY MEET

December 12, Saturday night, will be past masters night at Point Loma Masonic lodge and a third degree will be conferred by these officials. Ralph Lathrop, junior past master, is chairman for the evening and invites all master Masons to join in the evening's ceremonies.

BUDGET YOUR SICK NEED FORUM TOPIC DECEMBER 15

Gordon D. Latham, general manager of the San Diego Beneficial society will address the forum on December 15 on the topic: "Budget Your Medical, Surgical and Hospital Expenses."

These forum meetings held every Tuesday evening at the Ocean Beach elementary school are free to the public.

They are sponsored by the San Diego city schools, department of adult education, Paul Klein, director

TOY LIBRARY TO BE AVAILABLE

A toy loan library, sponsored by the Ocean Beach PTA, has been definitely promised by John R. Lyons, director of the special WPA project which is organizing these libraries thruout the city.

Toys and play materials in any condition can be left at the Ocean Beach school.

RESIDENT FOR NINETEEN YEARS PASSES AWAY

James E. Smith, 54, of 4525 Voltaire St., died Friday. He was born in St. Louis, had lived in California for 35 years, the last 19 of which he resided in Ocean Beach.

He leaves a wife, Margaret Smith, a son, Albert C. Smith, both of Ocean Beach, his father, Charles Smith, Chicago, and a sister, Mrs. Louis Arbuckle, St. Louis.

Services were conducted Monday by the Rev. Lankow at Benbough's mortuary.

FOR RENT SIGNS—5c and 10c at The Ocean Beach News.

"The Gondoliers" at High School Tonight

In response to public demand and at the invitation of City school authorities, the WPA Federal Music Project of San Diego will repeat another of their extremely popular comic operas in the auditorium of the Point Loma High school, Friday night, Dec. 11, at 8 p. m. In view of the very recent performance of "The Mikado" at Russ auditorium to an audience of nearly two thousand persons, many of whom expressed a sincere desire to witness other Gilbert and Sullivan operettas, Charles H. Marsh, district supervisor, has selected "The Gondoliers" for this performance.

An outstanding favorite of the many Gilbert and Sullivan works, "The Gondoliers" offers delightful entertainment, interspersed with light comedy and tuneful melodies, charmingly entwined in plots of gay love affairs and royal intrigue.

Back home, after a series of personal successes in the role of Koko with the Los Angeles Music Projects' performances of "The Mikado," Charles Cannon will again have his comedy role of one of the gondoliers in Friday night's presentation. Charlie's many local friends will be on hand to see if his work in the part will show the marked improvement displayed at the "Mikado" performance at Russ.

Jack Dawson will have the role of the other gondolier, Carmen Conger's sweet soprano voice will carry the role of Princess Casilda, Gerard Dougherty and Elizabeth Clarke as the Duke and Duchess.

William G. Stewart, veteran producer of Gilbert and Sullivan plays, promises that costumes and scenery will be even more beautiful than when "The Gondoliers" was presented at the Savoy theatre in September. Stewart's ability as a producer of successes is already proven by his work in San Diego and he deserves full credit, not only for the excellence of staging, but also for professional efficiency of the action by cast and chorus under his coaching. Highest laurels are due Charles H. Marsh for the company's success in vocal interpretation. However, these attributes would be lost without the perfect control and masterful supervision of the conductor, Julius Leib.

For reservations: phone F-6493. Half-price student tickets at Pt. Loma High school.

STRAND RADIO CO. TO OPEN DOWN TOWN STORE

The Strand Radio Co. will this week end open a branch store at 411 C street in down town San Diego with Griffith Lloyd from the local store in charge. The Ocean Beach business will continue under the management of Wm. Bergman.

The firm has secured the agencies for Philco radios and Kelvinator products which will be handled exclusively in their new store. The Strand Radio boys have expanded their business a great deal since starting here about four years ago and have had enough business from the City to warrant their branching out into a sales room there.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS MONDAY NIGHT

Ocean Beach Chamber of Commerce will meet next Monday evening at the Newport hotel at 8 p. m. This is December 14 and don't forget the date.

Ladies of the beach are especially invited.

SILVER SPRAY PLUNGE CLOSED FOR REPAIRS

The Silver Spray plunge was closed this week end for the installation of a new boiler, this equipment being used for the pumping and heating of live ocean water into the large pools of this popular plunge.

It is expected all equipment will be in so that it can be reopened shortly after the first of the year.

Current Events

IN REVIEW

by Edward W. Pickard

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Buenos Aires Receives Mr. Roosevelt Warmly

AS THE cruiser Indianapolis and its convoy, the Chester, entered the harbor of Buenos Aires, a salute to President Roosevelt boomed from the guns of eleven warships, ten squadrons of airplanes wheeled overhead, and thousands of cheering citizens crowded the waterfront. Argentinians generally approve of Mr. Roosevelt's policies and he was welcomed to their capital as "a great benevolent dictator." They had planned to give him an elaborate reception, but it was toned down somewhat at his request. President Justo, who already had greeted the distinguished guest by wireless, met him at the dock and accompanied him to the American embassy. Then Mr. Roosevelt, Secretary of State Hull and members of the American delegation to the peace conference made a formal call at the government house.

Next day, after a ride about the city, President Roosevelt attended the extraordinary session in the legislative palace to open the Pan-American peace conference which he initiated. A formal dinner for him at the government house and a reception for all conference delegates followed. The event of the third day was a luncheon at the American embassy in honor of President and Mrs. Justo. Then Mr. Roosevelt embarked and started on the return trip, with a brief stop scheduled for Montevideo, capital of Uruguay.

On his way south President Roosevelt stopped a few hours in Rio de Janeiro, where half a million citizens turned out in the rain to give him an enthusiastic welcome. President Vargas showed him the magnificent Brazilian capital, and he addressed an extraordinary session of the parliament with an eloquent plea to all peoples of the western continent to keep out of war and settle their problems with good will and understanding.

"Mystery Man" Zaharoff Dies in Monte Carlo

THE cause of world peace should be the gainer by the death of Sir Basil Zaharoff in Monte Carlo. Known as the "mystery man of Europe," he was for many years the master salesman of armaments and amassed an immense fortune in that and other business enterprises. Born in Odessa, Russia, of Greek parents, Zaharoff had all of Europe for his field of operations. He was knighted in England, became a citizen of France and married a Spanish duchess. He gave valuable aid to the Allies during the World War, founding chairs of aviation at Paris and Petrograd and presenting 25,000 pounds sterling to the British government for a similar purpose.

Litvinov Attacks Nazi Foes of Soviet Russia

WHAT Russia thinks of the Nazi leaders of Germany and their anti-communism pact with Japan was set forth in plain words by Foreign Minister Maxim Litvinov in an address before the all-union congress of soviets in Moscow, Italy, which has just concluded a similar agreement with Tokyo, was included in his denunciations. Litvinov asserted that Germany and Japan were joined in a secret military alliance for the purpose of launching a war which would spread to all continents, and added that soviet Russia still stood irrevocably for peace. Said he:

"Fascist countries make one challenge after another to peace-loving democratic states and we hope before long those states will stand up to them."

"The soviet union has no reason to change its position, which was and always will be—peace. It wants peace for itself and for all other countries."

"It wants no words—there has been too much talk—but action from others."

"The soviet union begs no one to be its partner. It does not ask for unions, alliances or combinations. The day will come when the Red army and navy will be forced to defend the Fatherland. Then they will show unprecedented courage and heroism and fighting ability."

"I am sure the soviet union will stand as a fortress against the filthy waves of a Fascist sea."

How well prepared Russia is for war if it comes was indicated by a report that her naval forces have increased 1,700 per cent since 1933,

and that she soon will have 7,000 airplanes and 100,000 pilots. "If the German Fascists threaten our country, we unto them," declared Corps Commander Khrpin, assistant commander of the Red army air forces.

V. M. Molotov, president of the council of commissars, professed love for the German people but intense hate for their leaders, who, he said, "have well earned their appellation of 'modern cannibals.'"

Japan announced her intention to build as quickly as possible an army equal to that of Russia; and Minister of Marine Nagano said the Japanese navy also would be enlarged. Premier Leon Blum, saying that the international situation "never has been as serious or as dangerous in the last three months as it is now," declared pointedly that France, second only to soviet Russia, possessed the "most powerful military force in continental Europe."

Green Is Re-Elected by Federation of Labor

WILLIAM GREEN was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor before the closing of the convention in Tampa. Secretary Frank Morrison and the 14 vice presidents also were chosen for another term. In his speech of acceptance Mr. Green made a renewed plea to John L. Lewis and his C. I. O. associates to "come back to our home and fight the common foe." This the insurgents show no sign of doing. The 1937 convention was awarded to Denver.

The convention refused to concur in four resolutions attacking the Supreme court. It instructed the executive council to have a bill for the six hour day and five day week introduced in congress and declared the 30 hour week to be the "paramount objective" of the A. F. of L.

League Council to Deal With Spanish War

SPAIN'S government appealed to the council of the League of Nations to deal with the menace to "peace and good will among nations" allegedly created by Italo-German recognition of the fascist rebel junta. Secretary J. A. C. Avelar thereupon convoked the council, though at this writing the date for the meeting is unsettled. It was believed Italy would refuse to attend the session; Germany is no longer a member of the league. French statesmen didn't approve the Spanish action, feeling that it complicated an already serious situation and could do no good.

Excitement over the torpedo attack on a loyal Spanish cruiser by a submarine which the Madrid government more than hinted was a German vessel was allayed by a report that the undersea boat was a Spanish submarine that had gone over to the rebel side.

Madrid was being continually hammered by rebel shells and bombs, and there was intense fighting daily in University City, the northwest section of the capital, where the insurgents had penetrated. The American embassy and Eric C. Wendelin, charge d'affaires, gave protection to those Americans who wished to go to Valencia to board a United States warship. The German and Italian embassies, abandoned by their staffs, were seized and sealed by the defense junta and a number of Fascist refugees were arrested in the former. Berlin scoffed at this action but Rome called it banditry.

Alleged Japanese Plan for Inner Mongolia

TROOPS of Suiyuan province in China recently captured the stronghold of Prince Teh Wang, rebel leader in Mongolia, and some secret documents seized there reveal a Japanese plot to set up an Inner Mongolian puppet state to be known as the Great Yuan empire. This would extend westward from Jehol to Sinkiang. The documents disclosed that Japan has already spent 50,000,000 Chinese dollars on this project and is prepared to spend about 400,000,000 more.

Military Revolt in Quito Is Speedily Suppressed

ONE regiment of the Ecuadorian army attempted to start a revolution in Quito, the capital, but the uprising was quickly suppressed in a battle in which 50 persons were killed and 100 wounded. Many persons were arrested, including Pedro Velasco Ibarra, brother of former President Velasco Ibarra, and several unidentified foreigners. The daily newspaper El Dia was closed and its director, Ricardo Jaramillo, was imprisoned.

Crisis Seems to Be Near in the "Simpson Affair"

APPARENTLY authentic reports come from London saying that Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin has told King Edward that his marriage to Mrs. Wally Simpson, if he contemplates such a move, will not have the support of the government or the parliament. Baldwin is said to have first conferred with Clement Atlee, Labor party leader, and established a common front of Conservative and Labor parties on their attitude toward this affair. It was also reported that the king had been formally requested by members of the cabinet and of the peerage to make known immediately to the British public his intentions with regard to Mrs. Simpson.

Drouth Commission Gets Data for Its Program

CHAIRMAN MORRIS L. COOKE and other members of the federal great plains drouth commission are holding a series of meetings in the drouth blighted states for the purpose of formulating a relief and control program and are calling in the farmers to consult with them. At the first of these sessions, in Bismarck, N. D., officials and agriculturists of Montana, Wyoming, Nebraska and North and South Dakota heard O. W. Roberts, federal meteorologist, give the encouraging promise that "greater than normal precipitation is anticipated in those states next spring on the basis of light precipitation this fall."

Reports of existing conditions, however, showed that the situation is serious. Gov. Walter Welford, of North Dakota, told the conference that water levels throughout his state are seriously diminished, constituting a major problem for the state and federal governments.

Another official declared that North Dakota's live stock situation is "most deplorable," that virtually no live stock is left on ranges in western sections of the state and that feed is seriously scarce in all sections.

Labor Department Shows Living Costs Increase

LABOR department statistics reported a jump of 14 per cent in wholesale prices in the approximately three years in which the Roosevelt administration has sought to raise the general price level. The widest gain was registered for farm products, which rose from an index figure of 58.7 three years ago to 85.5. Foods increased from 65.4 to 83.5. All commodities other than farm products and food increased from 77.5 to 80.8.

As figured into living costs, the department's statistics covering purchases by wage earners and lower salaried workers showed an increase for all items, from 77.2 at the close of 1933 to 82.4 in September, this year. The increases were: Food, 69.4 to 84.3; clothing, 76.2 to 78.6; rent, 63.9 to 64.6; house furnishing goods, 73.5 to 78.2. Fuel and light costs fell from 90.3 to 87.4 and miscellaneous items were off from 96.8 to 96.5.

Mayor Dore of Seattle May Be Recalled

SEATTLE has a habit of recalling its mayors when they are not satisfactory. One was ousted in 1911 and another in 1931. Now a movement has been started for the recall of Mayor John F. Dore, who is accused of inciting acts of violence in a labor dispute. Formal charges of misfeasance, malfeasance and violation of the oath of office were contained in a petition signed by fifteen women and eleven men. It asked the corporation counsel to draft the charges in condensed form so that an effort could be made to obtain the 24,000 signatures necessary for a special recall election.

Dore, fifty-four, was elected in March over Arthur B. Langlie, candidate of the New Order of Cincinnati, an independent organization of young voters seeking better municipal government.

The charges against the mayor largely have to do with his actions in connection with the strike of employees of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Stalin Offers Constitution to Soviet Republic

DICTATOR JOSEF STALIN, in one of his exceedingly rare public speeches, presented to his fellow countrymen the proposed constitution which he himself has written for the U. S. S. R. The document promises many new liberties and privileges to Russian citizens. These include equal suffrage, the secret ballot, the right to work, leisure, material security in old age, education, equal rights for women, universal equality of citizenry, freedom of conscience and the right to worship, freedom of speech, press, assembly and meetings and the right to organize into any group except political bodies.

Warm, Gay Jacket-Coats for Winter

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



AND now it is the "winter girl" that leads the grand march in the style parade. In her giddily gay wool plaids, her Tyrolean-inspired knitted togs and her sturdy Norwegian worsteds and knits what a picture she makes midst scenes of snow and ice and gray burdened skies!

What with gorgeously colorful Scotch wool plaids almost stampeding the vogue and what with the Tyrolean influence going that strong all's needed is a range or so of snow-clad Alps in the distance to make the scene complete. It would seem as if the present sports and practical daytime fashions are about as picturesque as ever winter fashions might hope to be.

Important news in regard to clothes designed to fortify against the rigors of winter is the enthusiasm shown for fancy, sometimes quite fantastic, short jackets and hip-length coats also wool shirts (call 'em shortwaists if you insist) that contrast monotone skirts, culottes or plus four trousers—the latter a favorite type with the ski and skate devotee.

Let winds howl and icicles form in endless chain, it's immune you will be to their devastating chill if clad in a sturdy coat for all outdoors as shown to the left in the picture. Here is a coat in the newer short length that performs a three-act-in-one of being gay, being "comfy" and high-style on every count. It is made of a rough-and-ready old-town wool plaid in warm deep color tones—just the sort of plaid weaves everybody's calling for this season.

Have you heard of the new plaid

wool shirts that are showing up so vaingloriously in college-girl wardrobes? Not only are these plaid shirts rating ace-high in classroom and campus environs but for office and general everyday practical wear the shirt of enchanting plaid wool is everything it should be. See the perfectly tailored specimen of a modish plaid shirt in the illustration. As here shown it is worn with dark green beautifully fitted men's wear flannel culottes.

The intriguing thing about the newer handknit fashions is that they are stylized to the 'nth degree and many interesting new and fanciful stitches are being introduced. A perfectly charming innovation is the employment of embroidery done in vivid Tyrolean color schemes in connection with not only knitted cardigans and sweaters but pert boxy hip-length jackets are made of felt or cloth trimmed with gay applique felt flowers and colorful bindings and amusing buttons.

That the newest style trends are being incorporated in hand-knitted fashions is a fact evidenced in the cunning waist-length jacket pictured on the figure seated. See the full-at-top sleeves that give the very important wide shoulder lines. If you are wanting to know, it requires about ten balls of feather-down yarn to knit this jacket which is done in a simple lacy pattern. One ball of Limerick green shetland floss trims it. Make this jacket Tyrolean, if you will, by embroidering gay little yarn flowers here and there. Bright colored buttons add yet another note of interest.

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PETIT POINT BAGS

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



With the winter season of grandiose social functions coming on, visions of lovely evening bags begin to stir the imagination. To women of discriminating taste a bag of exquisite petit point speaks most eloquently when it comes to giving the desired dramatization to the costume. The very lovely and distinctive bags here pictured are creations by Madame Jolles of Vienna. The sophisticated cape of regal black Lyon velvet shown at the top makes a perfect setting for the charming petit point bag done in brilliant colors and marvelously intricate design. Below in the picture the subtle Edwardian mood of the patrician quilted satin coat is enhanced with a glamorous petit point bag of unusual shape and by a new handle, recalling a graceful arc. This winsome bag is as youthful as is the simply cut wrap that so unmistakably bears the stamp of aristocracy.

VELVET HAS PROVED SMARTEST MATERIAL

Velvet has proved to be the smartest material of the year. It is shown in numerous varieties—velveteen, panne, lame, shaved to a flat, stubby surface or printed into a striped or plaid design. Black, as is always the case in Paris, is the favorite, although various shades of green, red and brown are almost as popular.

The new velvets are used for severely tailored suits to be worn under fur capes as well as for dressy cocktail suits worn with rich lame blouses. Velveteen is used for street dresses worn under fur-trimmed cloth coats as well as jacket suits worn with plaid woolen blouses.

Right-Sized Heel Factor of Importance in Dress

To the woman who regards good dressing as an art, the right heel is as important as the right jewels or gloves.

If she aims to look tall and queenly in her evening gown, towering heels are an indispensable part of the picture. If her mood is coquettish and her gown inspired by an ancient Greek robe, heel-less or flat-heeled sandals provide the proper foot note.

Heels covered with vivid fabrics or encrusted with jewels add a sparkling touch to her formal evening ensembles. Many of her most striking costumes owe their success to the harmony between her heels and her hair ornament, handkerchief, or corsage. As costume accessories heels are becoming more and more significant.

Lamb-Trimmed Tunics

Three importantly dressed women recently observed at Longchamp wore tunic wool costumes, with the silhouette marked by Persian lamb borders. One coat by Jodelle used also a wide border of the lamb for a bib-like front collar.

Ask Me Another

A General Quiz

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1. In what zone do the trade winds blow?
2. What is meant by the gloaming?
3. In printing, what is a font?
4. What is a virtuoso?
5. Of what is gingham made?
6. Where was Gilead?
7. What does anthropoid mean?
8. About how long was a cubit?
9. Into what body of water does the Ganges flow?
10. In music, what is a triad?
11. Was Lafayette ever captured in battle?
12. Did women vote in some states before the Federal amendment granted them suffrage?

Answers

1. The torrid.
2. Dusk.
3. A complete assortment of type of a particular kind.
4. A master, in some art.
5. Cotton.
6. East of the Jordan.
7. Man-like.
8. 18 to 20 inches.
9. The Bay of Bengal.
10. A chord of three tones.
11. Yes, while defending the frontier of France.
12. Yes.

Foreign Words and Phrases

A la francaise. (F.) In the French style.

Caeteris paribus. (L.) Other things being equal.

Dies faustus. (L.) A lucky day.

Ex pede Herculeum. (L.) To judge of the whole from a part.

Flitterwoch. (Ger.) A honeymoon.

Gutta cavat lapidem non vi sed saepe cadendo. (L.) Constant dripping wears away the stone; persistence will accomplish more than force.

Haute nouveaute. (F.) The latest novelty.

Insouciance. (F.) Unconcern; indifference.

Oeil de boeuf. (F.) A bull's eye.

Tant soit peu. (F.) Never so little.

Husband Your Energy

If you are tempted to be angry, pause a moment and still the rising activities. Deal in the same way with the tendency to be annoyed, resentful, or depressed. Remember that if you spare yourself these useless expenditures of force, you husband and increase your energy.—Dresser.

WHY SHOULDN'T Men Color GRAY HAIR

Meet the competition of youth in business and social life. Overcome the mark of old age—GRAY HAIR—safely, easily, inexpensively. . . . Use Triple-Action NOURISHINE for GRAY HAIR and DANDRUFF. One liquid covers all shades of hair gradually. Detects, detests, acts as a tonic—removes dandruff—stops itching scalp. Start today! Defy the sign of old age! NOURISHINE for GRAY HAIR and DANDRUFF. Easy to use! For better results also use NOURISHINE non-acid SHAMPOO.

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The plainest words are the most profitable oratory in the weightiest matters.—Baxter.

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No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with anything less than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble to aid nature to soothe and heal the inflamed membranes as the germ-laden phlegm is loosened and expelled.

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Watch Your Kidneys!

Be Sure They Properly Cleanse the Blood

YOUR kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as nature intended—fail to remove impurities that poison the system when retained.

Then you may suffer nagging backache, dizziness, scanty or too frequent urination, getting up at night, puffiness under the eyes, feel nervous, miserable—all signs.

Don't delay? Use Doan's Pills. Doan's are especially for poorly functioning kidneys. They are recommended by grateful users the country over. Get them from any druggist.

DOAN'S PILLS

Bob Davis Reveals

Tales From Vancouver Island; Along the Highway

I HAVE never known a man entirely free from the inclination to protest against what he called the "bad breaks" received now and then along the route. All of us are prone to complain when anything goes wrong with our program, and it doesn't take much either to start the squawking.

After a bad morning on a trout stream, a blowout in the neighborhood of Cobble hill, the loss of a sweater alleged to be a rain shedder, and fried instead of grilled salmon served for lunch, I was induced by my fat friend, George Warren, to halt and have a look at the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children, along Malahat beach off the main highway on the east coast of Vancouver island.

"What is there that can be turned into copy?" I asked, thinking in terms of the column, "aren't all solariums pretty much alike?"

George said they were, but nonetheless drove into a maple-lined road half a mile onward and stopped his car before a long two-story building extending north and south into a beautiful grove of jack pines, the whole set in a garden of old fashioned flowers blooming riotously among rocks and on trellises.

"We shan't be long," he said, wallowing out from behind the wheel. "It will do you good to see what is being done there in the name of humanity. Come along, only one short flight."

Automatically I followed the fat man, with no interest one way or another. But as he had insisted. . .

Disciples of Hope.

At the second floor elevations we came out on a wide platform facing west by north, and deluged in yellow sunlight, tempered by cool breezes from the Georgian straits filtered through endless forests of pine, fir and spruce trees, extending to the blue sea. Against the back wall, on 72 cots, spread with immaculate linen and pillows, enlivened by an occasional colored blanket, lay 72 children, in slips and breech cloths, with nothing between them and the sky.

In years they ranged from four to twelve. Not among them all was there boy or girl free from affliction, in the majority of cases, prenatal. Brought into the world incomplete, knowing naught off any life save one of pain and physical restrictions, they had come, even in childhood, to accept life with resignation. From these misshapen, stunted, unconscious contortionists, most of them flat on their backs, came no single word of complaint, no murmurs of discontent. There they are, disciples of fortitude and hope, living legacies in no way responsible for their presence in this vale of tears.

Dr. Glenn Simpson, acting medical superintendent, conversing with or touching tenderly each child as he passed, informed us that the solarium patients have a 50 per cent chance for complete recovery, and that about 70 per cent are permanently benefited.

Kids Know How to "Take" It.

After an hour not unmixed with considerable serious reflection that there should be so much misfortune, and so little complaint among the solarium waifs, we returned to the open road, the luxury of liberty, the dissolving view that is part of freedom.

"What do you think now of the bad breaks we get and the ill luck dealt to us grumblers?" asked George Warren, fumbling the wheel of his car. "Adults can't take it like those kids. Few of us stop to think. . ."

I laid a restraining hand upon his corpulent knee. There was nothing more to be said, anyhow, that is, nothing that words might convey.

However, to those who read these lines, more especially to those who go through life complaining, I would suggest, if opportunity offers, that they drop in at the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children, Malahat beach, Cobble hill, Vancouver island, B. C., and get a true interpretation of the words patients and patience, spelled two ways, but both meaning the same thing.

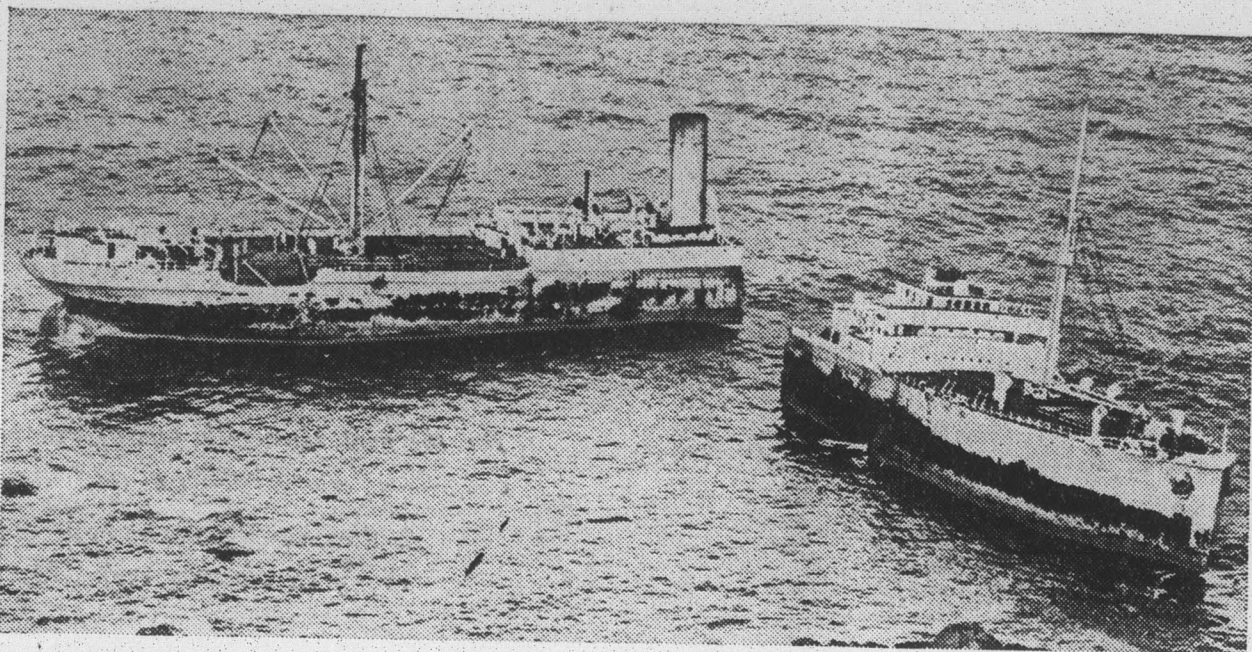
On a small steamboat crossing Juan De Fuca strait between Victoria and Port Angeles, I observed that nearly all of the passengers, except an old man who sat quietly in a corner by himself, went seasick.

"That cove has got it on the rest of these guys," volunteered a deck hand, who seemed much amused by the widespread distress.

"In what way?" I asked. "Blind as a bat," replied the marine. "I've spent nearly 20 years on the water and never knew a blind man to lose his lunch. Unless you can see the horizon teetering or spot something rocking from its level, you don't get seasick. If you don't believe me, ask any sightless man."

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American Ship Wrecked on Rocks of Cornwall



The remains of the steamship Bessemer City firmly fixed on the rocks off the coast of Cornwall after heavy seas broke it in two. The ship went aground in a fog, and quickly went to pieces under the pounding of the ocean. All of the crew were rescued, being taken off by the St. Ives lifeboat. The Bessemer City is—or was—an American boat, having sailed from New York, on her last trip.

BEHIND THE SCENES by Thornton W. Burgess

WHY THE PLANS OF THE RATS FAILED.

YOU remember that the rats in the big barn had agreed that if Billy Mink should return they would all attack him at once and kill him or frighten him so that he would leave and never return. It was a perfectly good plan. Billy was more than a match for any single rat. He might be more than a match for any two rats. But if he had to fight all the rats at once he wouldn't have the smallest chance in the world.

All those rats had been very bold and brave when they had met to plan how they should get rid of this



They Were Crazy With Fear and Gave Him No Heed.

new enemy. Especially bold and brave had been the younger rats. They had agreed that the instant they heard the signal they would rush to do their part in the attack on Billy Mink. Only the wise, gray old leader had been doubtful. He had not let the others know that he was doubtful, for this would not have done at all.

But he knew what the younger rats did not know, which was that born in every rat is great fear of all members of Billy Mink's family, a fear so great that when it is aroused all else is forgotten. He knew that such fear becomes terror and terror destroys courage. It makes cowards of even those who are thought to be brave. So the gray, old leader was doubtful, and that doubt increased the fear which the very thought of Billy Mink filled him with.

Now the gray, old leader was not a coward himself. He would never have become a leader if he had been a coward. When he heard that danger signal he scrambled out of the nest where he had been taking a nap and hurried forth to lead his tribe in the great fight they had planned. Almost at once he met one of the loudest boasters among the younger rats, and this fellow was running in the opposite direction from the way he should have been going. More than this, he was squealing with fright. Then another

Antelope Turban



Rose Descat swirls a black antelope turban with a high cone in front. Rows of stitching emphasize the slanting line.

and another and still another raced frantically past, each squealing with fright. He could not stop them. They were crazy with fear and gave him no heed.

In all directions he could hear frightened squeals and squeals and the scampering of many feet. He knew then that that which he had most feared had happened. The mere presence of Billy Mink had awakened that inborn fear, and each rat was thinking only of himself and how he could escape. Sadly the old leader turned and fled to save his own life. He knew that their plans for getting rid of Billy Mink had failed, and that he never would be able to make these followers stand and fight.

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MOTHER'S COOK BOOK

CHRISTMAS GOODIES

IT would be a sorry time for young or old if the Christmas candies were forgotten for the holiday time.

Coffee Fondant

Take two and one-half pounds of sugar, one and one-half cupsful of boiling water, one-fourth cupful of ground coffee. Heat the coffee and water to the boiling point, boil for five minutes, then strain through a double cheesecloth. Add the sugar to the coffee infusion and one-fourth of a teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Boil to the soft ball stage when tested in cold water and pour out on a lightly oiled or buttered slab or platter. When cool enough to handle stir with a wooden spoon until creamy, then knead until smooth. Set away for 24 hours in a bowl well covered with waxed paper. Now the fondant is ready to make into patties by melting over hot water; made into bonbons and decorated with a nut or cherry, or chopped fruit and nuts may be added and form into small bricks; slice and wrap in paper.

Maple fondant may be made in the same way using one and one-fourth pounds of maple sugar, one and one-fourth pounds of granulated sugar, one cupful of boiling water and one-fourth teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Work and ripen as for plain fondant.

Bonbons

The centers of bonbons are made of fondant of any flavor, shaped into small balls and dipped into chocolate or melted fondant, colored. For coconut centers work as much coconut as possible into the fondant, roll in coconut if desired. For nut centers cover a whole nut meat with the fondant. Allow these nut balls to harden, then dip in chocolate or any desired dipping mixture. Use

DADA KNOWS—



"Pop, what is plaster?" "Frame-up."

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GIVE WHERE THE GIFT IS MUCH

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THIS is the joy of living, The joy that will joy remain, The joy that we get from giving, Not the joy that we get from gain. A hand that will lift the lowly, A purse that will meet the need— These make our Christmas holy, Make it Christ's day indeed.

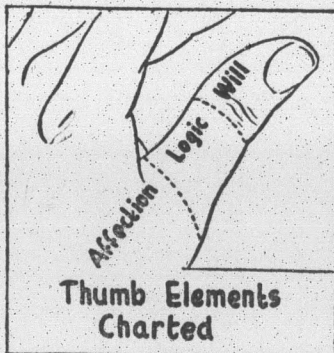
This is the Christmas season; Make it a time of joy For those who have little reason, Woman, or babe, or boy. Friend to the friendless stranger, Look for some pain to ease. The Christ that lay in a manger Was even as one of these.

This is the joy of living, The joy that will joy remain: The joy that we get from giving, Not the joy that we get from gain. If in your midst are any Wanting a kindly touch, Give where the needs are many A gift where the gift is much.

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THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR HAND

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AFTER you have studied a few thumbs and have applied the principles set forth in these lessons, you will understand why the expert hand analyst relies so much on this element of the hand as his gauge of temperamental qualities.

Characteristics of the Thumb.

The thumb always denoted those qualities of the personality which concern the temperamental reactions of the individual to the influences and environments which mold his or her life.

The first, or nail, joint indicates the degree and type of the will; the second, or middle joint the powers of logic and analysis; the third, or palm joint nearest the palm, and to the underside of which is attached the large rounded muscle which regulates the movements of the thumb, the amount and quality of the affections.

The length and shape of these members are accurate in denoting the attributes just named. The position of the thumb itself is also of great importance. Its separation from the rest of the hand when in repose holds, as you shall later see, much that indicates generosity or the reverse as the case may be.

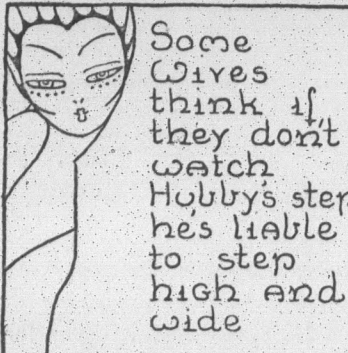
The thumb tells us clearly of the unfavorable qualities of will or logic which should and can be corrected.

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Institution of Nobility

The institution of nobility is founded on the theory that a special privilege, once acquired, shall be passed on from generation to generation. The nobles of Rome, called patricians, became nobles simply because they were the original inhabitants of the city. In Venice, the nobility consisted of a group of merchant traders who had gradually risen in wealth and power. Most of the nobility of Europe, on the other hand, came from freemen who battled their way to wealth and privilege. These great feudal lords were virtual kings.

Eve's Epigrams



Novel Use for Her Gramophone



This young woman in England puts her gramophone to work winding wool while she sits and enjoys the music. The wooden spool is pressed onto the centering post over the record.

A Few Little Smiles



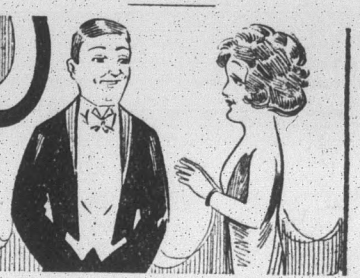
A Reminder

The successful man was lecturing to an admiring audience. "I must say," he concluded, "that I owe everything I have to my wife." "Hey!" shouted a tradesman at the back of the hall, "you're not forgetting my bill, are yer?"—Grit.

Encore

"And if I refuse you, Cecil—will you commit suicide?" "Well, that has been my usual custom."

FROZEN



"Are you cool in the presence of danger?" "Yes; ice cold."

But Not a Fair

"Look at those cows, Miss Jones! Aren't they lambs?" "Yes, perfect ducks!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Dog-Gone

"It's raining cats and dogs outside." "I know—I just stepped into a poodle."

Manly Fellow

"Did Johnny take his medicine like a man?" "Yes, he made an awful fuss."

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THE SHIP TIE-UP SHOULD END.

Moving into its seventh week, the shipping tieup continues to sap the economic strength of California at a time when everyone should be enjoying the brightest Christmas season in years.

The public, to speak frankly, is pretty well fed up with the whole idea of disrupted water commerce.

Obviously it is not for anyone not intimately acquainted with all the involved details to dictate a solution. But it is within the power of every citizen to realize that there must be a solution, and that it must be applied.

Ocean traffic, both as a means of passenger travel and as an artery of trade, is much more the public's business than any private enterprise such as a factory, say, or a store.

What if the railroads had their schedules upset, were unable to get California produce loaded for eastern shipment, were unable to guarantee that certain trains would leave at certain times? It could not happen, and it does not happen. Which is proof that there must be an answer to the difficulties of the water carriers.

For years the railroads have operated with steady, clocklike precision, day in and day out, hour in and hour out. In California alone they have kept steadily employed something over 30,000 men on the 8452 miles of road, paying trainmen an average wage of around \$2000 a year.

There is health, wealth and prosperity in steady operation and steady employment of this sort. In the continued ruptures of water transportation there is only waste, economic ill-health, and an inevitable drag on recovery processes.

The public patience is exhausted. This shipping should be solved once and for all.

QUARRELING WITH LIFE.

The best education is self knowledge, and the best medicine is cheerfulness and temperance; while the best philosophy to government, is a contented mind. This should be good advice given to a world of misery and sorrow like the present. The whole picture today is defined in few words, "quarreling with life."

Life is a cluster of incidents from the cradle to the grave, and each person must learn that happiness and health are realities within the reach of all. To save time and trouble, even for health's sake, it behooves one to do the right thing first.

It is said of old, something like this, that it would have been better for that man had he never been born; but that is a severe indictment on anyone, when we claim, after all, that "life is worth living." It is sad enough, but almost always the ones who do the quarreling with life are usually the unfortunate who have met with disappointments and loss; those who have reached the point of giving up. The many pitfalls along the pathway of life catch the step of everyone, but it is only the careless and comfortless who misstep and likewise pick a quarrel with life.

Of a truth, there can be no great living without proper attention to a multitude of little things. The world was never more at a loss to account for the failures in life; the broken marriage vow, the shattered home, the wreckage of many prospects for an honorable, successful life in the spirit of education, wealth and political influence, than it is today. All has come from wrong thinking, wrong living, disappointment and reckless action. Victor Hugo says, "Melancholy is the pleasure of being sad."

Reformation is of a poor sort, unless it begins with self, and the life beautiful is as cheap as ugliness, and vastly more profitable! He who sets his mind on high ideals and practices the same, has found the goal of human happiness. Idle hearts make idle hands, with new determination, it is well to join the old Scotch clergyman who, in a day of great need, cried out in a loud voice, "Lord, keep me alive as long as I live!" Life's mysteries will be come solved problems by following Helen Keller's advice, and it is always that the expert is the one who makes the best out of a bad situation. She says: "Resolve to keep happy. Your joy and you shall form an invincible host against difficulties."

Great Britain, once upon a time, was known as the skilled war nation of the world for advice. Her advice was sought because it was considered permanent and sure. Today, however, she is the most sought for peace councils. With a Europe composed of more than 30 nations, only one of which is geographically larger than Texas, Great Britain alone has enough prestige to steer an individual course effective for international peace. It is hard for nations to break away from an armed peace; all want peace but most all seem to put their trust in armaments. In contrast to the seething strife, suspicion and unrest in most of Europe today, the world is reminded of the tranquility and friendliness which prevails among Europe's northernmost nations. To live in a spirit of unity and peace the five northern countries of Denmark, Iceland, Sweden, Norway and Finland are showing the world what they think of war. Not only do they pledge unity and closer ties in the realms of culture and economics, but they declare their governments were determined to concentrate on the work of peace rather than the pursuing of the arts of war.

This is a hungry old world for entertainment. The weekly theatre attendance throughout the world is 220,000,000. In the United States it is 80,000,000, which is one of the proofs that people crave entertainment and like to be entertained. That which can double the joy and lessen the most sorrow, will ever be a welcome door to millions. Entertainment is as important as food and raiment the important thing about being entertained, is the kind which satisfies the craving best, and this seems to be the most beneficial kind.

One of the privileges of owning an automobile is having a hand in helping pay running expenses of government. Owners of cars pay 13 per cent of all taxes collected in the United States. For instance, on gasoline alone, 26,000,000 motorists in this country pay an average price of 19.2 cents a gallon for gasoline, 5.4 cents of which goes for federal and state taxes.

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Falling from a Mission bay pier Tuesday 4-year old Joyce Greenig was drowned and her playmate, Carolyn Will, age 3, was saved thru the efforts of Lester Rosenberg, 4930 Brighton avenue, who rescued her from the water, and his foreman, calling local police, hastened to the bay with Dr. Wilhoit who started resuscitation efforts and hurried the girl to the county hospital.

Shortly after it was learned that the Greenig girl was missing and William Rumsey and Charles Hardy, life guards, started a hunt in a boat with a waterscope. They discovered the little child several hours after it was believed to have fallen into the water but far too late to save the little one's life.

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Citizenship of the United States of America.

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793.1 Rohrbough, K. F.
Successful stunts.

915.2 Yakhontoff, V. A.
Eyes on Japan.

THEOSOPHICAL BAZAR

A food sale and bazar will be held under auspices of the Theosophical lodge in Ocean Beach at 5008 Newport avenue, on Saturday December 12, beginning at 9 a. m.

There will be a white elephant Your patronage is invited. table and grab bag.

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Mission Beach Personals

(Beth V. Paynter, correspondent)
(Tel. Pacific Beach 425 or 433)

Mrs May Chapel, who was injured in a fall Sunday, is reported as improving.

Mr and Mrs Keith Solomon and two daughters have moved from 811 Seagirt ct to 728 Yarmouth ct.

Mrs O M Van Dorston has moved from home on Ormond ct to 3801 Ocean front walk for the winter.

Mrs E M Standifer of 723 Salem ct, who has been in the hospital for the past six weeks, is said to be improving.

Mrs Carmen Seaman has been moved to her home on San Jose pl from the La Jolla hospital and is rapidly recovering from her recent illness. Her aunt, Mrs W B Clark has returned to her home in Los Angeles.

Mrs Fred Scripps will open her home at Brae Mar, Friday, Dec. 11 at 2 o'clock for the friends of the Woman's auxiliary of the Pacific Beach Presbyterian church. Rev. William Ellison of La Jolla will speak on "Peace in Europe."

Mr and Mrs William Camby have returned to the beach. Mrs Camby had a two month's visit with her brother in Indiana, coming home by way of Centralia, Washington, to meet Mr Camby who was visiting his daughter and family there.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 16, the Mission Beach Boosters club is sponsoring a card party at the new Community House, and on Saturday Dec. 19, they will hold a dance at the same place. Proceeds of these affairs will go toward the expenses of remodeling the hall. Everyone is invited.

The Mission Beach Woman's club extends an invitation to all its friends to join with the members in a potluck luncheon to be held Friday, Dec. 11, in the Community house. There will be a program in the afternoon.

The Booster's club committee on procuring the annual Christmas tree will join duty with pleasure Sunday by taking the family for an all day outing in the Cuyamacas. They will take basket lunches and enjoy a picnic in the snow.

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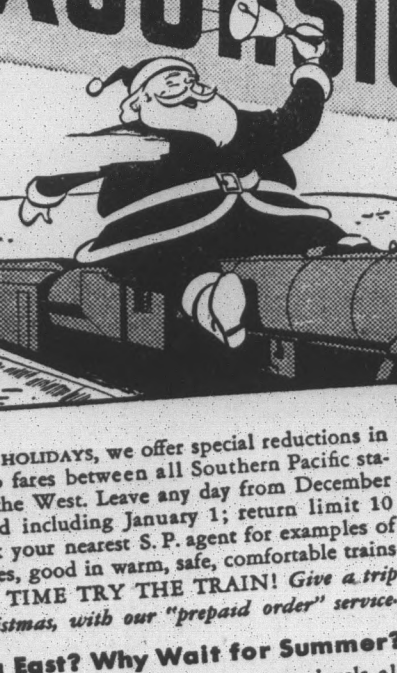
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Adolescent Period Explained to Mothers

The eternal struggle between the desire to grow up and the desire to remain a baby accounts for the seemingly unreasonable and uncontrollable behavior of boys and girls entering adolescence.

Mrs. Helen Crow, conducting the psychology class Tuesday afternoon in the Ocean Beach school auditorium, compared this tremendous internal conflict with the traditional characters of a melodrama: the heroine represents the child on the threshold of this new era, the hero is the newly felt urge to grow up, the villain typifies the universal desire to remain a baby, and the selfish father who would marry his daughter to the villain for his own security represents the parent who does not understand this phase in his child's development and therefore unconsciously makes of its life a tragedy.

In leading up to the early adolescent symptoms, Mrs. Crow outlined the all-absorbing interests of a child from babyhood to that period in which the most fundamental changes take place. The young baby is in love with himself and his comfort, but soon his love becomes centered in his mother. After about seven years of age the child is most interested in his father and this affection lasts until the first stages of adolescence.

Until now the child's love has been confined to home, but the group spirit has entered. Interest, or love in the broad sense, has been shifted to outside individuals of his own sex, tho these persons may not be his own age, for hero worship has begun. This is one of the most dangerous periods, for the parents need to have the greatest understanding and sympathy for the child's need of outside contacts. This is the first step in growing up and he should not be sheltered and protected as he was in his babyhood. He must have the approval of the group; from it he will receive the treatment he deserves, which is the consideration he has had from his mother. From sixteen to twenty years of age the opposite sex is the all-important interest.

The speaker named and analyzed the main symptoms appearing in the early stage of the adolescent period. They are characteristics recognized as a shield to the semi-conscious feeling of inferiority and the consequent sensitiveness, the urge to be self-reliant, the desire for self-expression as individuals, and the struggle for group approval. The symptoms themselves are rebellion against authority, increasing gruffness, roughening of language, increasing intolerance of younger children, growing secretiveness, resentment against mothers' nagging, loss of affection in the home (beginning preparation for later love for the opposite sex), extremes in dress, greater demand for money, and increasing recklessness and rudeness.

In summary, these characteristics will increase in intensity in proportion to the resistance they encounter at home. The main job of the boy and girl from twelve to twenty is to break away from the home. The second job is to become adjusted emotionally to the opposite sex. Therefore, the best advice to parents is that they give their boy or girl more and more freedom from supervision, refrain from criticizing and nagging and don't take too seriously their school grades. In other words, help your child to grow up.

THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY: POINT LOMA

"The Function of the Theosophical society: Its Place in the World" will be discussed in a forum-lecture next Sunday afternoon at three in the Temple of Peace at Theosophical university, Point Loma. Dr. Joseph H. Fussell, secretary general of the Theosophical society, will be the speaker. Pre-eminently qualified to discuss such a subject since his membership in the society dates back to the later years of H. P. Blavatsky, the foundress.

One of the chief functions of the Theosophical society, thinks Dr. Fussell, is to promote the knowledge of the essential unity of all that is and to demonstrate that this unity is fundamental in nature. The society which is non-sectarian and non-political has an important part to play in the world—the part of awakening the souls of men to their inherent rights and responsibilities as human beings. When men learn to link themselves with the divine energies of the Universe they will realize these responsibilities.

Questions and comments from the audience relative to the subject of the afternoon will be welcomed.

AMERICAN LEGION NO. 433 and AUXILIARY

Members of Clyde A. Wright post No. 433 American Legion, and Lt. Bert A. Allen post No. 2415, Veterans of Foreign Wars, are cooperating in putting across another annual theatre party for youngsters of the Ocean Beach sector the afternoon of Dec. 23, at 2 p.m. The children will be admitted to the theatre at that time for a pound of dry or staple groceries, or a can of food of any sort, which includes milk or vegetables or soups. This all will go to make up Christmas boxes for needy families of the community.

The beach Legion post has received word from national and department headquarters that its name has been officially changed to Clyde A. Wright post No. 433, the original name of the post. This action was taken at a recent meeting, by unanimous endorsement of a resolution submitted by Ralph G. Chadwick, past commander.

Logan E. Ruggles, Comdr. of Clyde A. Wright post, received a citation from past National Comdr. Ray Murphy last week, stating that under his leadership the post has surpassed its four-year membership record. It officially was presented last Saturday by R. W. McComas, county council commander, when the post held its annual stag party at the new hall, 4731 Pt. Loma avenue.

Lyman J. Monticue, vice commander of Clyde A. Wright post, was the winner of a \$25 membership award, given by the commander to the member bringing in the greatest number of new and renewals for 1937. Chadwick received the second prize.

The next meeting of the beach legion post will be held at their new hall, 4731 Pt. Loma ave., Thursday, Dec. 17. Final reports on Christmas activities will be heard. The meeting is to be called at 7 p.m., in order that members may have time to work on Christmas activities.

Thanks have been tendered by the Wright post to merchants of the vicinity and to others for their help in getting out the annual year book and post roster. It contained the list of all members, past commanders, auxiliary, etc., and has been commented upon by all who received it.

Lutheran Mission

The second last in a series of Advent meditations entitled "The Surpassing Christ" will be delivered next Sunday morning, 10:45 at the Kunz Lutheran Memorial chapel, by the Rev. Martin Lankow. This sermon is entitled "Moses and Jesus". The service is preceded by the Sunday School at 9:30.

The Sunday evening Bible Hour 7:30, will consider "The Annunciation".

METHODIST CHURCH

"The Exaltation of the Nazarene" will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. Hughes next Sunday morning at the Methodist church, corner of Saratoga and Sunset. The chorus choir under the direction of Lynn Winans will prelude the service by singing Christmas carols. The service will begin at 11 o'clock.

The Sunday school with classes for all ages in religious instruction will begin at 9:45, and the evening service for young people of college and high school age will begin at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to any of these services.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

"Awaiting His Coming" will be the sermon theme of Rev. W. S. Dunn this Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The choir will render special music under the direction of T. M. Harvey.

The two young people's societies will meet at 6:30 p.m. The young folks of the community are cordially invited to meet with these groups.

The one hour evening service begins at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor will speak on the subject "Christmas Signs".

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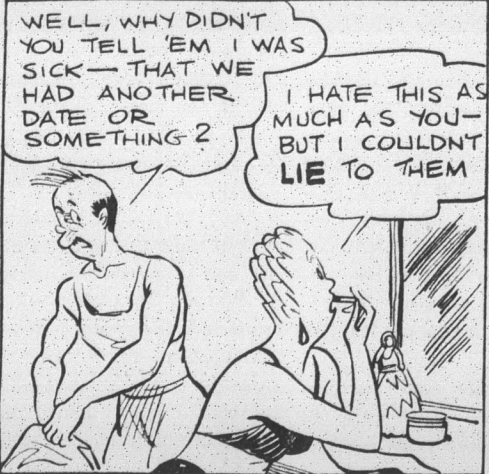
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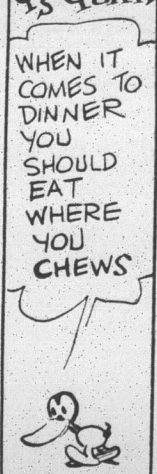
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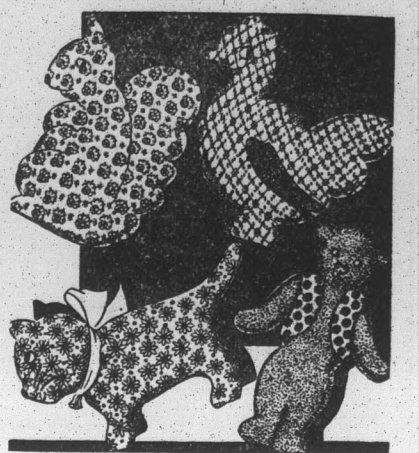
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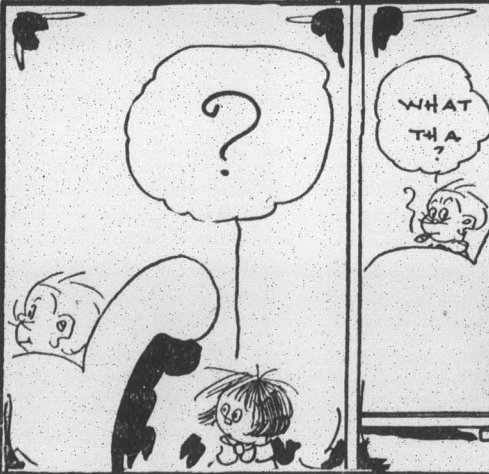
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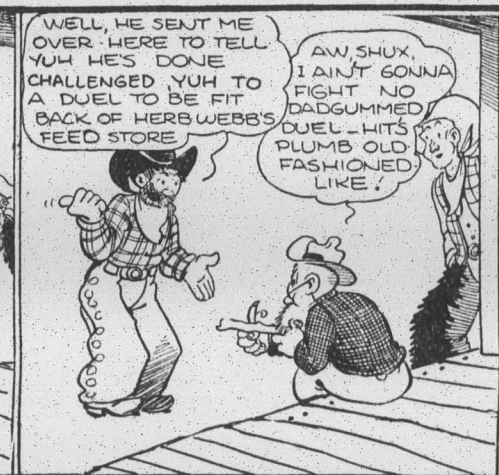
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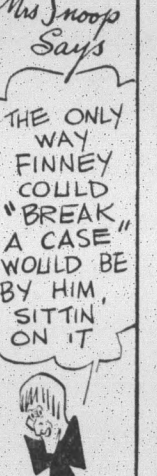
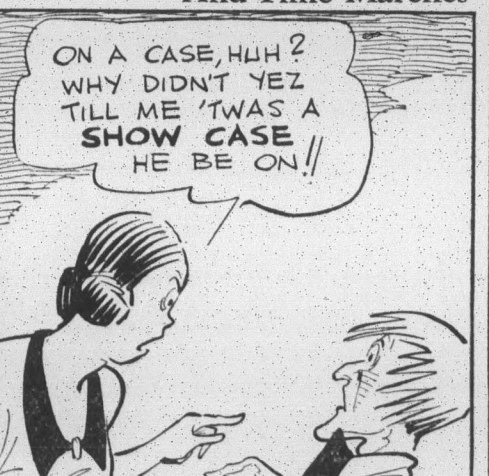
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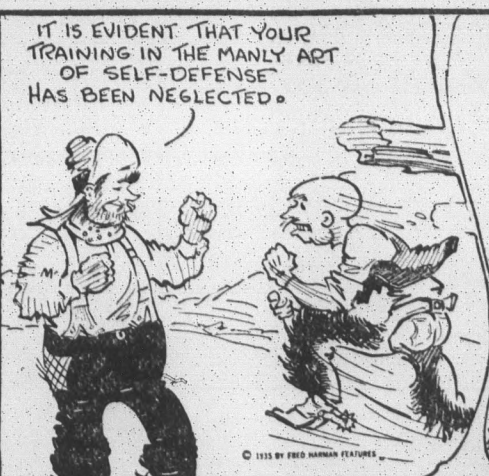
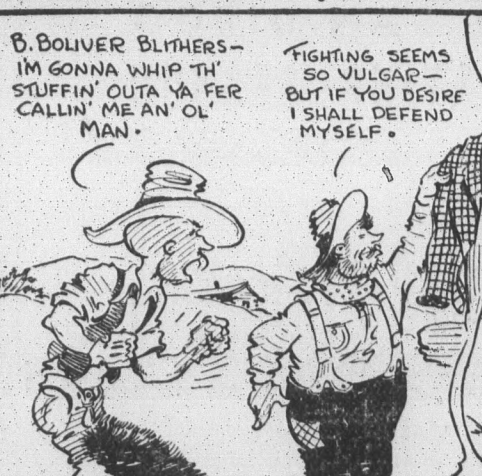
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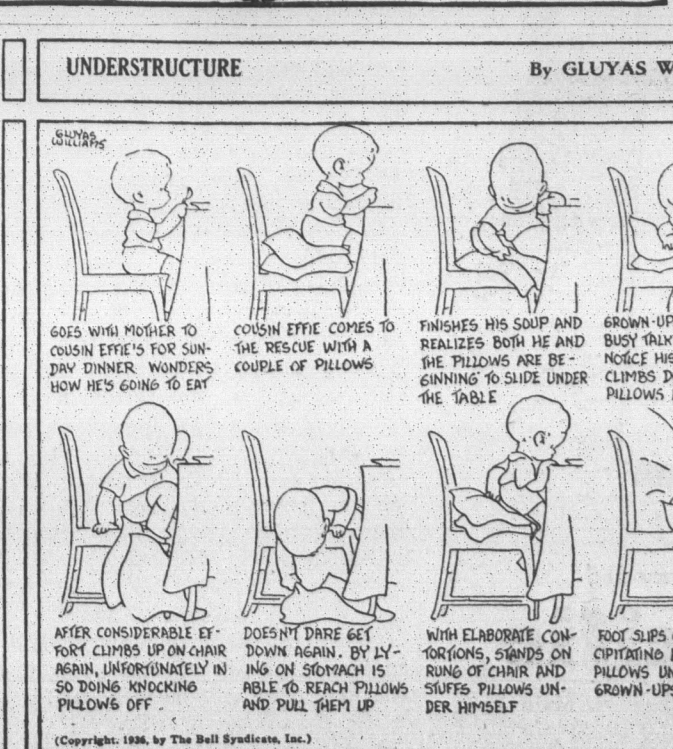
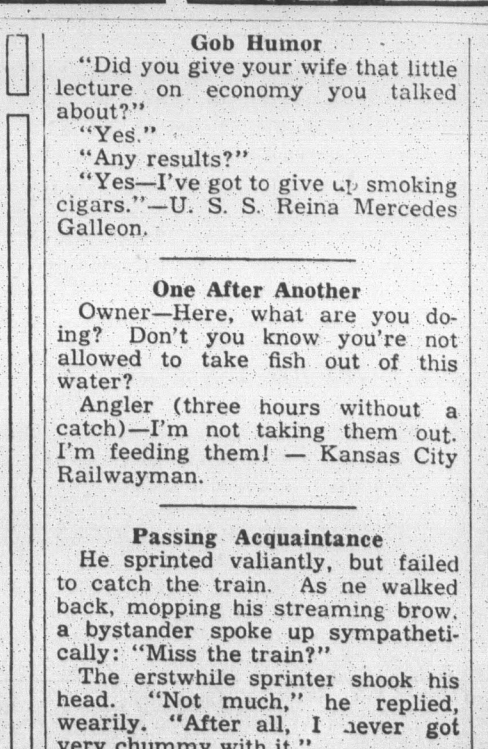
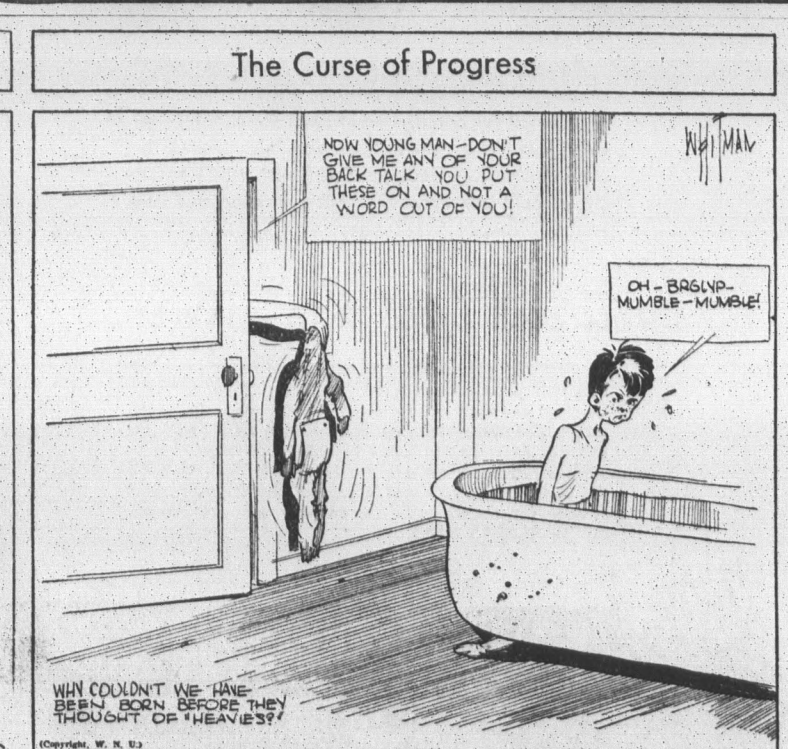


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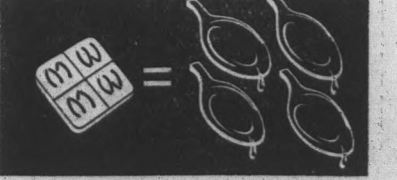
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CHAPTER X—Continued

"I wouldn't want to impose like that
on a decent father-in-law, Henry; it'll
be had enough for any man to have
you hitched into his family. Lift him
out of here, boys—give me a hand.
We've got to get him up to the office.
What's that noise out in the corral?"
"Nothin' at all," blustered McAlpin,
struggling along the gangway with
Sawdy's feet. "Just a few bucks from
the Reservation, Initiatin' Barney Re-
stock into the tribe. Henry, you're
heavier than a ton of bricks. I can't
hold on much longer."

Not until the doctor had nearly fin-
ished dressing the cowman's leg did
the wounded man begin to tell the
story. And he had hardly been made
ready to send to the hospital when
John Lefever and Bob Scott appeared
at the box office door with Barney Re-
stock, white and scared.

"What's a-matter with the rest of
you?" exclaimed Carpy testily, as he
eyed the three.

"Why, Barney," explained Lefever
blandly, "fell off his horse a few min-
utes ago and broke his wrist. Fix him
up, will you, doc?"

"What the devil's this cutting and
squawking all about?" asked Carpy of
Lefever later that night.

The two were seated in the doctor's
office about midnight. "Doc," explained
Lefever, "the boys are pretty sore
about Bill Denison's ranch house get-
tin' burned down. The day after the
fire Barney Restock left two hundred
with Harry Boland. Where'd he get
it? The boys made up their minds to
find out. Sawdy got him down to Mc-
Alpin's barn, but when he began to
pump Barney the cuss showed fight.
You know Henry. He'd never used a
gun on a shrimp with a knife. So the
rest of us, waitin' in the corral, car-
ried Barney out of the barn, showed
him a rope by the light of the lantern,
and asked him how about that fire."

Carpy shook his head. "Dangerous
business, John. Did you string him
up?"

"Hell, no. I hadn't no more'n ad-
justed the noose and asked him was it
comfortable under his ear, when he
told the whole story. McCrossen hired
him to do it for Van Tammel—"

Carpy muttered an angry epithet.
"—gave him two hundred and prom-
ised two more when the job was done.
What do you think of that, Doc?"

Carpy was silent a moment. "Rot-
ten business. But what's the good of
stringing Barney up? He'll deny ev-
erything. That ain't the only thing,
John. The old devil couldn't be con-
victed. But it would make a nasty
mess to try Van Tammel for hiring
Restock—and where would the shame
land? On Jane Van Tammel. And she
head over heels in love with Bill De-
nison, and he with her—what can be
done?"

"You fellows ought've asked me that
before you began stringing Barney up,"
added Carpy, after a moment's thought.
"there's only one thing I know of you
can do now. Bill Denison is the man
most interested in the situation the
way it stands."

"I guess we can't get away from
that," admitted Lefever.

"Lay the whole mess before Bill and
ask him what's to be done."
Lefever was doubtful. "I don't
know what the boy will say, doc."

"And I don't care a hang," retorted
Carpy. "That's all they'll get from
me."

Next morning Carpy was making his
rounds at the hospital. In the cor-
ridor he encountered Lefever. John took
off his hat and scratched his head.
"Well, doc," he exclaimed.
"Well," echoed Carpy, "what you do-
ing up here?"

"We talked it over."
"Who's we?"

"Why, Sawdy, McAlpin, Bob Scott,
Ben Page, 'n me. We talked it over 'n
concluded to follow your talk—put it
up to Bill."

"Sit down there in the office till I see
him myself."

"O. K., Doc. I'll go in and set with
Sawdy."

Dr. Carpy opened the door of Deni-
son's room. Close to Denison, who sat,
with bandaged eyes, in an armchair,
stood Jane, arranging some briar roses
in a vase.
Denison was fingering, rather nerv-
ously, his eye bandage.
Jane turned. "Oh, here's Dr. Carpy.
Bill. Good-morning, doctor!"
"Any morning's a good morning when
a man can set eyes on an up-an'-com-
ing girl like you," said Carpy. "Bill,"
he continued brusquely, "you're too
slow. If I had as good a sight for
sore eyes as she is, right close to me,
I'd take a peek at her if I had to go
blind the rest of my life."
Jane turned away with a protesting
smile. Denison looked confused. "Say!"
exclaimed Carpy suspiciously, "what's
been going on here? What have you
two been up to? Bill," he said sudden-

ly, "you've been moving that bandage!"
"Why, I did lift the bandage for a
few seconds," confessed Denison.
"What for?"
"To look at the roses."

"Bill, you're a blamed liar. You lift-
ed it to look at this girl—didn't he,
Jane?" Carpy thundered the question
in his most aggressive manner.

"How do I know, doctor?" asked
Jane demurely.

"Bill," he said, sitting down by his
patient, "tell me just what and how
much did you see when you lifted that
bandage."

"Doc, I'll confess, I couldn't see
much—just a blur."

"And your eyes ache and sting now,
don't they?"

"They burn a little, Doc."

"I'll say they burn a little! How
many mornings has this been going
on?"

Denison was silent. "Only yesterday
and today, doctor," confessed Jane,
hesitatingly.

"Well, don't try it any more," said
Carpy to Denison. "If you do, I'll put
you back in a dark room. I only let
you out here on the theory you'd be-
have yourself."

Carpy picked up his bag. He was
part way down the corridor when he
was waylaid by Lefever.

CHAPTER XI

"Come into Sawdy's room a minute,
Doc," pleaded Lefever. "He'd like to
talk this thing over with you."

Sawdy, propped up in bed, led the
talk. But the talk was not to Dr.
Carpy's liking. "Yes," he muttered
scoffingly, "I expected that's the way
it would work out. If there's a mean
job to be done in this town, put it on
me."

But the pair now working on the doc-
tor's sympathies knew their victim
pretty well and, having once brought
him to refuse their request, needed
only to persevere in order to make him
grant it. This brought Carpy back
that afternoon to Denison, alone.

"Doctor," said the injured man, "I
couldn't be sure this morning when
Jane was here whether you were talk-
ing to encourage her and me, or wheth-
er you really think you can save my
sight."

"Bill, I was honest in what I said,"
returned Carpy. "I believe and hope I
can save your eyes. But it's not all in
my hands; I told you that, too. If
Nature's willing, we're going to get
through all right—does that satisfy
you?"

"That's all I can ask, Doc."

"Bill," said the doctor suddenly.
"Sawdy and Lefever have found out
who burned the ranch house—and why
it was set afire."

"Who was it?" asked Denison vio-
lently.

"Keep cool, Bill; keep cool. It's a
mean mess."

Denison was on fire. "Why don't
you tell the story?" he demanded an-
grily. "What did they do?"

"First," responded Carpy, determined
not to be rushed, "they found that Bar-
ney Restock had a pocketful of money
since the fire. They lured him down to
McAlpin's barn. When Sawdy be-
gan to question him, he showed fight.
The upshot of it was, the two went at
it hammer and tongs in a box stall."



"Let Me Put That Bandage Back
Where It Belongs."

Barney had a knife—he drove it
through Sawdy's leg, and Sawdy was
choking him to death when McAlpin
and the boys heard the noise and
stepped in to save the thief. Then
they took him out behind the barn till
he told his story.

"Mind you, this now is Barney's
story—might or might not be the facts.
He claimed he was paid two hundred
dollars to set the house afire, with a
promise of two hundred more after
he'd burned it."

Carpy paused. He thought the sick-
ening truth must have already begun
to penetrate Denison's mind; it had
not.

"Who," asked Denison, with a fell
epithet, "paid him to burn me up?"

"As Barney tells it," continued Carpy
deliberately, "it was between McCross-
en and Gus Van Tammel."

Denison sprang from his chair. He
tore the bandage from his sightless
eyes. From his disfigured lips there
poured a stream of bitter words.
"Not too fast, Bill—not too fast. Re-
member there'll be another to suffer
like hell if this thing ever gets out."
"Oh, I know it must never get out.
But that man! Doc, he ought to be
roped and dragged to death by a wild

horse. If ever a robber and a thief
and a murderer deserved stringing up,
that man does. He's killed, or had
killed, every man that ever stood in
his way of stealing land or cattle, or
anything a man had that he wanted."

"Cool off, Bill, cool off."

Denison sat down with his hands
over his face. It wrung Carpy's heart
to see him suffer. "I can't, Doc. I
can't!"

"Yes, you can, damn you, and you
will. Let me put that bandage back
where it belongs—and you keep it
there. Don't talk about eyesight un-
less you want it back. Where the hell
do I come in? What am I getting out
of this? It was a battle between two
strong wills, and it was long in the
waging. But when Carpy, wiping the
sweat from his forehead and, himself
almost unstrung, left Denison's side,
his patient had ridden out the storm
and had promised quiet till the two
could think of what might be done,
pledging in the interval mutual and
absolute secrecy.

Secrecy, however well pledged, grows
more difficult to control in proportion
to the number of persons pledged.

Carpy swore Sawdy and Lefever to
it very easily. McAlpin and Ben Page
were warned that if the story leaked
out, it might become unpleasant for
both. As for Bob Scott, no one was
ever known to worm a secret out of
him; Barney, of course, dared not talk.

Yet it will easily be understood that
too many people had the story; and
only the continual efforts of Dr. Carpy
in silencing, through threats of what
might happen to them, one or another
of the conspirators kept it under cover.

Jane, after the usual storm with her
father, who knew what she was doing,
rode next morning into town to make
her visit to the hospital.

Denison was a poor actor. In his
endeavor to make Jane feel there had
been nothing to upset him, he was over-
solicitous. Carpy did better; but he
was compelled to admit that Denison
had not been doing quite so well—since
Jane could see that for herself.

Her father continued taciturn and
aloof. Jane knew she was defying
him by continuing to visit Denison, yet
being of much the same tenacious will
as her father himself, she reckoned
little of it.

But her visits and ministrations to
the injured neighbor of Gunlock Ranch
became so frequent, and she herself
was so wholly indifferent to comment,
that the situation became food for lo-
cal gossip. Here was Van Tammel, a
deadly enemy of Denison's, with his
daughter openly showing a very spe-
cial interest in Denison's condition at
the hospital—carrying to him deli-
cacies and spending with him half her
time in town.

Things were at this pass when one
day Van Tammel told his daughter he
must go to Medicine Bend on some
bank business. Jane knew that he was
not able to make the trip—Carpy had
told her more than once that the old
man's life hung by a thread. She
pleaded with her father, found out
what the business was, and offered to
go in his stead.

She took the morning train for Medi-
cine Bend, secured the further time
on his notes at the bank, spent the
night at the Mountain House, and took
the afternoon train west for Sleepy
Cat.

The Pullman cars were crowded.
Jane was forced to find a seat in a
day coach. Here she placed her hand-
bag in the seat beside her, bought a
magazine, and resigned herself to a
long afternoon and evening.

Two men had taken the seat directly
behind her. Jane resumed her reading
until in the conversation between the
two men her attention was attracted
by catching the name of Bill Denison.

Her curiosity once aroused, it was
easy to follow the drift of their talk.
Presently she heard mention of her
father's name. Aroused now to keen
interest, Jane was torn between the
feeling that she ought not to listen and
the impulse that she must.

"Of course, nobody can prove it,"
were the words she heard. "I didn't
say they could. That old bird knows
too well how to cover his tracks. But
everybody knows how he deviled Deni-
son's brother when he lived there—
tried to buy him out, then scare him
out, and then smoke him out. The old
devil has been crazy ever since he
owned Gunlock to get hold of that lit-
tle Spring Ranch. Why? Account of the
water. It's the biggest spring in the
hills. Now that he's back from the
hospital, the first thing he thinks of is
to get hold of that spring."

Jane listened with bated breath.

"Why, it's common talk in Sleepy
Cat," the narrator went on, "that he
paid Barney Restock to set Bill's ranch
house afire and came damned near
burning Bill up in it."

Her heart stopped beating as she
heard the dreadful recital, delivered
as calmly as the merest bit of current
gossip would be discussed on a street
corner.

"According to what I hear," contin-
ued the narrator, "Sawdy and some
of Bill's friends choked the story out
of Barney. Sawdy got cut up in the
fracas with him—Sawdy was laid up
in the hospital for a month. Barney's
a mean devil with a knife."

The train was pulling into Sleepy
Cat. Jane, rousing herself from a
stupor, her breath choking her, her
heart ready to burst with every beat,
staggered to her feet, dazed, and sup-
porting herself along the aisle with
her hands alternately on the backs of
the seats, stepped blindly down to the
platform.

Bull Page, who was in with the
team and buckboard to take her
home, reached for her handbag. "No,
Bill," Jane said quietly. "I'm not go-
ing out tonight."

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ishness. Civilized man has to
learn how, some day.

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Mrs. Jacob Kolb, 5038 Niagara avenue, returned Monday from a month's visit to Oklahoma and Kansas.

Jack A. Kennedy and Inez F. King were united in wedlock at a candle light service at the Kunz Memorial chapel on the evening of November 30th, by the Rev. Martin Lankow.

Friday, Dec. 11, the Gypsies are here. Visit them at the Point Loma Methodist church. A light lunch will be served at noon and booths opened at 12 o'clock. A delicious turkey dinner will be served in the church dining room 5 to 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. McElwee yesterday motored to Calexico where a Kiwanis dinner meeting was attended at the Hotel De Anza. Mr. McElwee went to especially attend a presidents instruction meeting given for 1937 Kiwanis presidents-elect.

Leroy W. Lee, outgoing master of Point Loma Masonic lodge No. 620, last Friday evening, gave a farewell dinner to his 1936 officers, at his home 4414 Santa Monica avenue. Mrs. Lee, serving the dinner, was assisted by Mmes H. K. Rankin and G. B. Kenline.

Myron Insko received word Tuesday of the sudden passing in Fort Dodge, Iowa, of his sister, Mrs. Clifford Hallett. Pneumonia was reported as the cause and the illness was of such short duration it was not known by relatives here until word of her death came.

L. N. Rockwood, old timer at the beach, who is now living in Flint, Michigan, this week ordered the Ocean Beach News sent to him in the north country. Roy apparently wants to keep up with events of this section and comings and goings of his friends and neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Billups last week purchased the Harry Sweet residence at 3788 Tennyson street and moved into that property. The Harry P. Sweet family moved to their fine new modern home recently completed at corner Goldsmith and Willow streets in the Loma Portal section.

W. Higgins, 5024 Newport avenue ten years a resident and property owner here, left the first of the week for an extended world tour and expects he may be absent from the beach most of 1937 and 1938. He will go to New York city and there sail to Queenstown, Ireland, and visit England and other European countries. Mr. Higgins has been around this old globe of ours several times, he says, and has been planning another trip for a long time.

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Preparing for Christmas at Point Loma High

Tableaux representing Christmas in many lands has been planned for the Christmas program to be given at the Point Loma High school, Thursday evening, Dec. 17 at 8 o'clock. Accompanying each tableau will of course be the excellent music of the senior boys glee club; the senior girls glee club and the junior mixed glee, coached and ably directed by Mrs. Madeleine Hoffman of the music department at Pt. Loma.

One of the featured tableaux will be the manger scene, which will be presented by the Portuguese students in full native costume. It is expected to be very colorful and very lovely, and will be directed by Mrs. Leora Sheridan, teacher of Portuguese at Pt. Loma.

The orchestra under the direction of Edward Janowsky will open the program with three secular numbers: Waltz of the Flowers, Tchaikowsky; March of the Toys, Victor Herbert and From the Vienna Woods, Strauss.

The rest of the program is as follows:

- I Caroling—Traditional Carols—Junior glee.
- II Gesu Bambino—Combined glee clubs.
- III Czechoslovakian Carols—Girls glee.
- IV French Carols—Junior glee.
- V Ancient Carol of the Shepherds—Combined glee clubs.
- VI Good King Wencelas—Boys glee.
- VII Bach Chorale—Junior glee.
- VIII Christmas Chimes—Hamblen—Combined glee.

Mr. Hamblen, famous in musical circles, will attend the program Thursday evening.

Miss Lois Griffin was selected by the senior girls of the Point Loma High school to be the candidate for the D.A.R. citizenship award, in which one outstanding girl from each state is sent to the national convention of the D.A.R. Dorothy Ann Cremer was selected as Miss Griffin's alternate.

The forty girls selected are entertained for a week in Washington, D.C. and receive their traveling expenses as part of the award.

Honoring commercial teachers from the city schools and neighboring towns, the business department of the Point Loma High school entertained at a tea Tuesday Dec. 8.

Dr. Berry, president of the Southern California Secretarial training association, was guest of honor, and was persuaded to talk briefly to the group.

Assisting the hostesses were Mrs. Clarence R. Swenson and Mrs. Eliot Landon who poured. Refreshments and service were overseen by the domestic science classes of Miss Mary Brown, Miss Willa B. Brodie's

BIRTHS

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood G. Muehleisen, 1815 Bacon street, November 29 at Mercy hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil A. Turnham, 4738 Muir avenue, a daughter November 30 at the same hospital.

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Warren-Walker School

Nancy and Tickle Read have returned from Vallejo and are back in school after an absence of a month.

Last week's nature class was especially interesting. Mr. Lockhart brought specimens of a praying mantis, a night hawk, and a shark's egg. These were examined by each pupil and Mr. Lockhart discussed the most interesting points about them.

The children are preparing nature books. Each week one or two pages are added showing pictures and telling stories of some of the animals studied that week.

The music classes are learning carols in preparation for the Christmas program to be given next Friday.

WOMAN PASSES AWAY WHILE VISITING CHURCH

Mrs. Annie Sarah Fleming of Mission Beach died suddenly last Saturday as she paid a visit to St. Joseph's church. Death apparently was due to a sudden heart attack.

Rev. P. A. Connolly of Sacred Heart church, Ocean Beach, conducted Requiem Mass, celebrated at St. Joseph's church Wednesday, December 9th.

Deceased was the beloved wife of Wm. F. Fleming; mother of Mrs. Robert Henrich, Lester A. Fleming and William K. Fleming, all of Mission Beach; Mrs. Earl Massey of Carlsbad and Mrs. George Treadwell of Seattle. Former resident of Wollaston, Mass. A member of San Diego Circle 161, Neighbors of Woodcraft. Interment Holy Cross cemetery.

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art classes decorated the tables. A musical program, under the direction of Edward Janowsky entertained the guests.

A large number of teachers attended the tea.

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